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SUBJ: NEW FUEL PRICES

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1. GOP MINISTRY OF ECONOMY ANNOUNCED FEBRUARY 2
HIGHER FUEL PRICES FOR BOTH INDUSTRIAL AND CONSUMER
USE. 98-OCTANE SUPER GASOLINE RAISED FROM
7.5 TO 11.0 ESCUDOS PER LITER; 85-OCTANE NORMAL
GASOLINE RAISED FROM 6.3 TO 9.5 ESCUDOS PER
LITER. RETAIL PRICE OF KEROSENE RAISED FROM
2.00 TO 2.80 ESCUDOS PER LITER; DIESEL FUEL RAISED
FROM 2.60 TO 3.40 ESCUDOS PER LITER, AND FUEL OIL
FURNISHED IN BULK TO DISTRIBUTORS INCREASED TO
1 ESCUDO PER KILOGRAM. PRICES OF PROPANE AND BUTANE
GAS FOR CONSUMERS RAISED FROM 5.6 TO 7.6 ESCUDOS
PER KILO. COST OF FUEL OIL TO PORTUGUESE NATIONAL
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RAILWAY, PETROCHEMICAL INDUSTRY AND ELECTRIC COMPANY

INCREASED 82 PERCENT, THE FIRST CHANGE SINCE 1959.

2. NEW PRICES EXPRESSED IN DOLLARS PER GALLON AT
FEBRUARY 4 DAILY RATE OF 26.656 ESCUDOS PER DOLLAR
ARE: FOR SUPER \$1.56/GAL; FOR NORMAL \$1.35/GAL;
FOR KEROSENE \$0.40/GAL; FOR DIESEL \$0.48/GAL.
NEW PRICE OF LIQUID GAS IS APPROXIMATELY 0.02/LB.
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